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In re Application of
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ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed April 11, 2002, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply within the meaning of 37 CFR 1.113 in a timely manner to the final Office action mailed January 16, 2001, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three (3) months. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) were obtained. Accordingly, the above-identified application became abandoned on April 17, 2001.

The application file is being forwarded to Technology Center 2600, Art Unit 2611 for processing the request for continued examination under 37 CFR 1.114 filed April 11, 2002.¹

Telephone inquiries concerning this matter may be directed to the undersigned at (703) 308-6911.

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¹PTO financial database records show that the \$35 additional balance due for filing the Request for Continued Examination was received on June 4, 2002.